



SECOND WORKSHOP ON METALWORKING AND METAL ARTICLES INDUSTRIES IN THE EU

"Transforming Metal, Engineering Future"

Draft Programme

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Conducted by Mrs. Alexandra Jour-Schröder, Head of Unit
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- 9:00 Registration - Welcome coffee
9:58 Clip "Transforming metal, Engineering future".
10:00 Opening - The Metalworking and Metal Article Industries under
the new EU industrial policy by M Diego CANGA FANO, Deputy
Head of Cabinet of Vice-president TAJANI, European
Commissioner for Enterprise and Industry
10:10 Industrial Policy under Belgium Presidency
Mr. Julien COMPERE, Chef de Cabinet de Monsieur Jean-Claude
Marcourt, Ministre de l'Economie, des PME, du Commerce
extérieur, des Technologies nouvelles et de l'Enseignement
supérieur
10:30 Opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee on
Metalworking and Metal Article Industries by
Mr Enrico GIBELLIERI, Co-President of the Consultative Commission
on Industrial Change within the EESC
10:55 Clip on the Mecatech Cluster



- 11:00 Panel I
The metalworking Industry in the Walloon Region – best practices for the EU
- Belgium decision makers and stakeholders will debate and discuss on the Mecatech Cluster and how its best practices could be applied in other European regions.
- Chair: Mr. Georges CAMPIOLI, Honorary Director General, Agoria Wallonie
Mr. Jacques GERMAY, General Director Mecatech Cluster
Mr. Fred LIMBORT, CEO, Ateliers de la Meuse (tbc)
Ms. Evelyne Nguyen, R&D Dept, Recoval
Mr. Pierre-François BAREEL, R&D Dept, Comet Traitements
Mr. Umberto BARALDI, vice Director Sirris Wallonie
- 12:00 Questions/Answers
- 12:30 The vision of the European Parliament
Mr. Paul RÜBIG, Member of the European Parliament, Committee on Industry, Research and Energy
- 13.00 Lunch break
- 14:30 Report on the seminar in Bilbao by Mr Xavier GARMENDIA, Vice minister for Industry and Energy, Basque Government
- 15:00 Panel II
EU legislation and the metalworking industries
Debate on the aspects of EU legislation relevant to the metalworking industries and on how better to integrate the problems faced by the sector in the remit of EU policies.
- Chair: Mr. Gwenole COZIGOU Director in DG ENTR (Chemicals, metals, mechanical, electrical and construction industries; Raw materials, European Commission
Mr. Adrian HARRIS (Belgium), Director General of ORGALIME
Dr. Andreas MÖHLENKAMP (Germany), General Director of WSM Wirtschaftsverband Stahl-und Metallverarbeitung e.V.
Mr. Jacek TRUSZCZYNSKI, DG ENERGY, Energy efficiency in products unit, European Commission
Representatives of several European Commission services (SMEs, Innovation, Trade, tbc)



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- 16:00 Questions/Answers
- 16:30 Conclusions by Mrs Alexandra JOUR-SCHROEDER
- 16:40 Networking Cocktail

Metalworking web site: http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/sectors/mechanical/metalworking/index_en.htm